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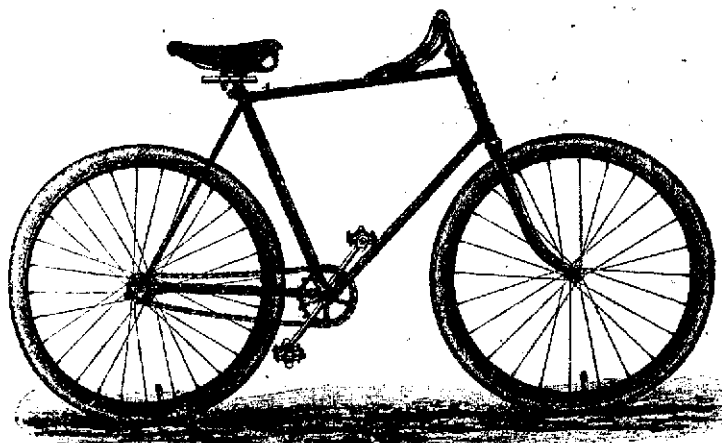
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THE PIVOTAL DAY

At Massillon in the Great Coal Miners' Strike.

A BATTLE OR COMPLETE SUBMISSION.

With Little Apparent Prospect for the Latter--Militia Held in Readiness to Move at a Moment's Notice--Echoes From the Strike.

CAMP BREE, MASSILLON, O., June 13.--To-morrow will be the pivotal day in the great coal strike. It will either bring forth a collision between the strikers and troops or a complete submission. The present attitude of the coal miners would indicate anything but the latter. A big meeting of the strikers will be held at Brookfield, two miles from Massillon, to-night. The plan of the coming campaign will be decided on. They are coming from all directions, and at least 2,000 men will take part in the proceedings. Pickets will be posted by the strikers and none but workmen will be admitted. It is thought that the men will march in a body from the conference and drive the militia from the bridges they are guarding, and then destroy the bridges.

The fact that the railroads are about to commence running coal trains again is arousing miners to resistance throughout the Massillon district. The Wheeling & Lake Erie, which has refused to handle coal on account of the strike, will start its first coal train to-night. If it succeeds in getting it through it will only be after running a dangerous gauntlet. The miners are aroused, and are determined to prevent coal from going through Massillon, if possible.

The Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling will also resume hauling coal to-morrow, having rebuilt the covered bridge which was recently burned at Midvale.

A Lake Shore bridge crew arrived here to-day and assisted in completing the trestle work. This is looked on as the crisis. Since the arrival of troops in this vicinity there has been but one coal train moved, and that one was on this side of the burned bridge. This train was hauled over the road to-day without obstruction.

Adj.-Gen. Howe has notified all his officers to keep constant and vigilant watch and to report at once all trouble. There was no demonstration here to-day, but the continued absence of the male population is the cause of some alarm.

The troops will be held well in hand during the next few days, as the officers all realize the necessity of getting into the field in a hurry when the order to move comes. This may be within a few hours. It may be that the call will never be made; if it is it will come to-morrow and result in serious trouble.

AGAINST THE SETTLEMENT.

Ohio Miners Strong in Their Opposition to the Columbus Compromise.

COLUMBUS, O., June 13.--Dispatches from mining towns in Ohio to-day indicate that the feeling against accepting the settlement of the strike is everywhere strong. A. A. Adams, the president of the Ohio miners, who opposed the settlement to the last, and refused to sign it finally, has undertaken a campaign against it and is addressing miners at the mining centers urging them not to accept the settlement. He is a very radical leader and holds theories closely bordering on anarchy.

The Straitsville miners, 7,000 strong, say they will not go to work. However, they have held no meeting to consider this agreement.

At Gloucester, 8,000 miners in mass meeting adopted a resolution declaring the settlement premature, and declining to accept it.

Secretary W. C. Pearce, of the Ohio miners organization, said to-day: "I have received telegrams from Ohio and other states calling for state conventions and denouncing the action of the Columbus conference. The matter is to be left with the Ohio miners before they accept the sixty-five cent rate. The officers and miners are against sixty cents."

BOLD, BUT FOOLHARDY.

And Not What the Militia is Equipped With Bayonets For.

McCLAINSVILLE, O., June 13.--About 9 o'clock this morning the troops of Co. K, eighth regiment, were at the mouth of the dangerous cut here, and were lying around asleep when they were aroused by a most terrific yell, and immediately a mob of thirty strikers descended upon the soldiers and began an assault upon the troops with stones and clubs. Capt. Weybrecht and his company were on their feet in a moment and ready for them. On the mob charged and showed fight. Capt. Weybrecht saw they had no arms, and that they had more men in his company than they, and he ordered his men to lay down their arms and whip them unarméd, as he would not show cowardice by shooting unarmed men.

The soldiers lay down their arms and leaped in among the men and in less than two minutes Hungarians, Poles and Italians were scattered all round the mouth of the cut, but none were seriously hurt. It was a commendable act in Capt. Weybrecht, as he accomplished the end without bloodshed.

TRouble IS IMMINENT.

Striking Miners Gathering in Force at Pana, Ill., with Desperate Intentions.

PANA, Ill., June 13.--One hundred and fifty more stands of arms and ammunition were received from Springfield to-night. The striking miners threaten to burn the bridges on the different roads leading into the city. They say they will not disturb private property, but that the mine operators must meet their demands. President J. A. Crawford of the state mine union is in the city but refuses to divulge anything pertaining to the strike.

A visit to the camp of the local strikers shows a force of about 750 men stationed at Pope's Hill, and that recruits are being received hourly. It is thought that they will have a force of 1,000 men in camp by morning, and that they will make a move into town to-morrow in force. Trouble is imminent.

The Resignation of the Columbus Signers Demanded.

LA SALLE, Ill., June 13.--At a mass-meeting of miners from Oglesby, Peru and La Salle, it was resolved to accept nothing less than last year's mining prices. Resolutions were also adopted denouncing the Columbus delegates and demanding the resignation of President McBride and others who were parties to the compromise agreement.

A Call for United States Troops.

OMAHA, Neb., June 14.--Troops have been asked of the authorities at Washington to protect Union Pacific trains from the Coxeyites from Denver who are entering the state from Julesburg.

Captured a Miners' Cannon.

CAMP WHEELING, O., June 14.--Col. Galt captured a miners' cannon at Midvale yesterday. Shots were fired and stones thrown at the fourteenth regiment yesterday morning.

The Cruiser New York Coming Home.

WASHINGTON, June 14.--The navy department received a dispatch yesterday morning from Commander Phillips, of the cruiser New York, announcing the arrival of that vessel at Kingston, where she would take coal and proceed immediately to New York. As he made no mention of the condition of affairs at Bluefields, Secretary Herbert presumes nothing notable has occurred there.

A Thousand Typewriter Machines Burned.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., June 14.--Fire was discovered in the cellar of the Connecticut bank building, one of the largest blocks on Main street, yesterday afternoon. The greatest loss is to Miller & Martin, agents for the Franklin typewriter, who placed 1,000 machines, valued at \$10,000, in the cellar yesterday morning. They had no insurance.

Without Credit or Employment.

DECATUR, Ill., June 14.--The miners decided at a meeting held Tuesday night to return to work next Monday, but it is believed the coal company will refuse to employ the 400 men who joined the strike movement. The business men of the city have been united in refusing credit to the miners while on strike.

Baseball.

The following games were played yesterday:

At Boston--Chicago, 6; Boston, 2.
At Washington--Washington, 2; St. Louis, 2.
At Brooklyn--Brooklyn, 1; Cincinnati, 1.
At New York--New York, 7; Louisville, 5.
At Philadelphia--Pittsburgh, 8; Philadelphia, 4.
At Baltimore--Baltimore, 9; Cleveland, 2.

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DRESSEN CONVICTED.

A Jury Finds a Saloon Keeper Guilty of Infraction of Law.

The trial of criminal cases in the circuit court continues.

CHANCERY DOCKET.
Kathleen Kolter vs. Henry J. Kolter, divorce. Judgment of legal and decree granted on the ground of desertion, \$100.
Hansel L. Shuttler et al. vs. Charles A. Shuttler et al. partition. Appearance of Mrs. M. E. Shuttler. Judgment of partition entered in writing; decree pro confesso against defendants not appearing, referred to master.
Mary M. Davis vs. George T. Pease, divorce. Decree pro confesso.
U. W. Rapp vs. Mathias Ann Laey et al; fore-closure. Bill dismissed without prejudice.
Adams vs. W. A. Thurn; chancery. Defendant to be overruled and leave to answer.
Francis C. Campbell vs. R. J. Roberts et al; chancery. Decree pro confesso, and referred to master.

State Mount Savings Loan and Building Association vs. A. S. McKinnic et al; foreclosure. Suit settled and cause dismissed by plaintiff.
People Baltimore vs. Grant Baltimore. Decree pro confesso.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.
J. A. & Co. vs. W. W. Connard, Park Hammer and H. A. Wood; debt. Dismissed by plaintiff.

H. T. Simon Gregory Dry Goods Co., appellant, vs. Asler Ritter; appeal. Settled as per stipulation, and judgment for \$167.35. Judgments against Ritter were given in three other cases.
J. H. Northrup vs. M. Eichinger; assumpsit. Leave to withdraw demurrer.

PEOPLES DOCKET.
Lewis Sawyer; grand larceny. Motion for new trial overruled and judgment that defendant be imprisoned in reformatory.
Casper Dressen; disorderly house. Verdict of jury, defendant is guilty.

Julius Blackman; disorderly house. Certified to the county court.

Oscar Johnson; open lawfulness. Certified to the county court.

Clark Lippert; open lawfulness. Certified to the county court.

James M. Westcott et al; Henry Stewart; sell liquor to minors. Tried by jury, finding.

James M. Westcott; selling liquor to minors. Verdict of jury in favor of the county. Defendant fined \$20 and costs.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The 10 publishers of the various counties composing the seventeenth congressional district of Illinois are hereby invited to send delegates to a convention to be held at the county court house in the city of Springfield, at 2 o'clock p. m., on Thursday, June 14, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress and of transacting such other business as may legitimately come before said convention. The basis of representation and the number of delegates to which each county in the district is entitled will be the same as that used for the state convention to be held at Springfield July 2 next, as follows: Christian county, 10 delegates; Logan county, 8 delegates; Macon county, 12 delegates; Menard county, 4 delegates; Sangamon county, 23 delegates.

S. H. BLANE,
Chairman Congressional Committee.

STEPHEN T. LUTTEN, Secretary.

DIED.

On June 12 the infant son of Charles Reich at 104 East Sacramento street.

On North Main street, June 12, of meningitis, Joseph Schaefer, aged 13 months, daughter of W. S. Schaefer.

The remains have been sent to Aurora, Ind., for interment.

MARRIED.

In Decatur on the evening of June 12, at the home of F. J. Huber, 132 West Marion street, by Rev. H. H. O'Neil, Charles H. Lardins and Miss Ruth Allen, both of Taylorville, where the couple will reside.

ALASKA is large enough to contain Great Britain and Ireland, Germany, France, Greece and Switzerland, with some room to spare.

The content in the Commonwealth was greatly increased by the awful rumor that J. S. Coxey used finger bowls at his hotel.

GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN extends his compliments to J. S. Coxey and would be pleased to know how he likes it.

FIFTY dollars a day represents the average amount paid into every saloon in the United States.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 13, 1894.

THE REPUBLICAN is indebted to H. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with corresponding offices in New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

WHEAT CLOSE.

June wheat, 52 1/2; July, 53 1/2; Sept., 51 1/2; Dec., 51.

CORN CLOSE.

June 47 1/2; July, 47 1/2; Sept., 47 1/2.

OATS CLOSE.

June, 41 1/2; July, 42 1/2; Sept., 39 1/2.

PROVISIONS CLOSE.

Pork--July, \$12 3/4; Sept., \$12 40.

Lard--June, \$6 7/8; July, \$6 7/8; Sept., \$6 3/4.

Hog receipts 31,000.

Market active; 20,000 heavy. Light \$4.50; \$4.75. Mixed \$4.70-\$4.85. Heavy \$4.80-\$5.00.

Rough \$4.50-\$4.70. Estimate for to-morrow 27,000.

Cattle receipts 15,000; market steady to lower.

TODAY'S RECEIPTS--CASH LOTS.

Wheat all grades, 42. Estimated, 24.

Corn all grades, 11. Estimated, 20.

Oats all grades, 11. Estimated, 10.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 13.--Cargoes of coast, wheat New York active; cause activity, corn nothing offering, on passage and for shipment wheat and corn strong.

LIVERPOOL, Eng., June 13.--Wheat spot at opening firm, demand poor, holders offer sparingly; corn firm, demand moderate.

Minneapolis and Duluth get 220 cars of wheat to-day against 281 same day last year.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

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If it had not been for the Republicans in the house the "wild-cat" currency bill would have passed that body. The Republicans have always been the salt of the earth.

Tax fact that the settlement of the coal miners' strike is unsatisfactory to the walking delegates in Ohio, and to Mr. Crawford, who is a candidate for congress in this district, looks very much as if the miners are to be starved for political purposes.

The Republican congressional convention at Springfield to-day nominated Maj. James A. Connelly for congress, and it might as well be taken for granted that Maj. Connelly will be the next congressman from this district, and that he will not cast a vote while in that body for a tariff to reduce the wages of American workmen to the level of European wages. The wage-earners and business men of the district have been mis- represented by Mr. Springer as long as they propose to be.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat: A rich man's tariff is what the Boston Ad- vertiser calls the large mud pie in the construction of which the Senate is now engaged. It admits diamonds free, America producing none, and revenue being no object. It taxes sugar, and consequently every meal eaten in this country. The duties on fabrics used only by those who can spend much money on dress are removed or lowered. As for the income tax, that can be dodged, and the largest capitalists can claim a residence in London, as several are already preparing to do. The Democracy are floundering with a subject they are incompetent to handle, and have recently settled upon a tariff for private revenue only as the last remaining course to pursue.

SENATOR HOAR, in the course of a speech a few days ago on the tariff and Democratic inconsistency relating there- to, said: "The Democratic party has violated its pledges to the people that it would give free raw materials in its tariff bill. It has tried to get out of ful- filling this pledge by saying it could not carry such measure. Why could it not? It has a majority in both houses, and one house has already passed the tariff bill redeeming its pledge. Why could not the other? The trouble is, not that it cannot, but that it fears the result of the next election, so it made a combine of Democrats and Populists. It is ready to strike down any industry in the north, where it can not expect votes, while it protects the trusts and industries of the south. But, in the end, the issue of the contest is not doubtful. The combine may be apparently in the ascendancy, perhaps, for the present term, but there- after, as in the past, God will give to liberty nothing but victory."

The plea was made on behalf of the Cornell student who recently played a trick through which a woman lost her life that they "had not any malicious intent." A similar plea has been un- successfully made in a case in England. On last May day two young fellows who were engaged in the old English custom of "ducking" threw some water on a horse attached to a gig in which Dr. Twining was riding, near the town of Salcombe. The horse bolted, the gig was upset, the doctor's leg was fractured and he died from the shock a few days afterward. Though it was shown that the offenders had acted playfully, with- out malicious intent, the jury returned a verdict of manslaughter in the case, and they were condemned to a long term of imprisonment.

SPEAKING of his hypothetical candi- dacy for governor, Mr. Depew says: "I am in a position different from that of any other man in the country. Most men, in seeking a high office, expect to better their condition. It has happened in this state sometimes that they have. When Mr. Brants went into the cabinet and then to the senate, it was doubtless a valuable help to the business of the law firm of which he was a member. So, when Mr. Morton became vice-president it was doubtless a good thing for the banking firm of which he is a member. It was a form of advertisement that nec- essarily must be advantageous. But in my case it is different. There is not an- other man in the country similarly situ- ated. If I were to go into public life it would mean that I must give up the business in which I am; that I must break from my business and give up my interests in it. To hold a high office could not benefit my business, for the ties that hold me to it are personal, and I must break them. I must give up the work to which I have devoted my ener- gies for thirty years, and that is a trag- edy."

The Poor Would Pay It.
Baltimore World (Dem.): Our ob- jection to the income tax does not come from any desire to lessen the burden of taxation on the rich, but simply because we well know that such a tax, if paid at

all, will simply be taken from the poor man. Take for instance, the president of a large corporation, who has an in- come of over \$4,000 a year, and is honest enough to admit it. Will any sane man contend that he is going to pay that tax and lose that much money? It does not seem possible. There can be but one result, and that result will be the obtain- ing of the money thus paid from the bones and blood of the men he employs.

There will be a cut here, a reduction there until the tax is met and the wily capitalist will recognize this fact that when he cuts to meet his income tax he might as well cut to exceed it a little and there is an end of it. It is no friendship for the man who does not bear his burden of taxation that moves the world to urge the defeat of the income tax, but a certainty that such a tax will but result in placing additional burdens on those who can ill bear it. By all means kill the income tax, not from sentiment, but from the sound logical grounds that it is not a measure of good government, but is pernicious and un- Democratic in every way.

A SERIOUS MATTER.
Other Countries Viciously Interested in the Sugar Schedule of the Tariff Bill.
WASHINGTON, June 13.—The resolu- tion agreed to in the senate yesterday asking the president to inform the senate what objections had been made by countries with which the United States had entered into reciprocal commer- cial arrangements or treaties under the McKinley bill, to the proposed reimposition of a duty on sugar, is un- derstood to have been based upon rep- resentations made to the state depart- ment. The protest made by Baron von Saurma-Jeltsch, the German am- bassador, has already been mentioned in these dispatches.

Another protest was made by Senor Don Antonio Laso Arriaga, the Guate- malean minister. He represented to Secretary Gresham, it is understood, that under the arrangement entered into between his country and the United States, many citizens of Guatemala em- barked in the production of sugar. Now, before they have been enabled to reap any appreciable benefits from the in- vestments, reimposing a duty on the sugar produced by them would be their ruin.

But the most serious protest against the pending legislation has been made by Spain. Information of this, it is re- ported, has been communicated to the state department by Minister Taylor. When it was learned in Spain that the senate had agreed to the sugar sched- ule, the officials there assumed that it had become a law. Immediately the minister for the colonies introduced a bill in the cortes to submit to a uniform ad valorem duty of 24 per cent. all goods imported into Cuba and Puerto Rico from the United States which are now admitted free under the reciprocity arrangement. Should this bill become a law, numer- ous articles now paying no duty would be subject to a duty of 24 per cent. upon entry into either Cuba or Puerto Rico.

The Fraser River and Its Branches Fall- ing Rapidly.
VICTORIA, B. C., June 14.—Reports from the interior state that the Fraser and its branches are falling rapidly. General Superintendent Abbott of the Canadian Pacific railroad says that local traffic will be resumed to-mor- row.

At the instance of the Canadian Pa- cific Railroad Co. a newspaper corre- spondent has been arrested for send- ing out false reports of the wrecking of a Raymond excursion train.

The New Italian Cabinet.
ROME, June 14.—The newspapers of this city confirm the report that the cabinet reorganization has been com- pleted by Signor Boselli becoming minister of finance in place of Signor Sonnino, who will have the portfolio of minister of the treasury. Signor Damiani replaces Signor Boselli as minister of husbandry. The new cabi- net will appear in parliament to-day.

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THE REVOLT IN COREA

A Much More Serious Matter Than Was Reported.

FOREIGNERS WARNED TO SEEK SAFETY

United States Minister Still Taking Measures for the Rescue of American Missionaries—Admiral Skerrett Communicated With.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Advice by mail dated Seoul, May 27, was received at the Korean legation yesterday, which indicate that the revolution at that time was much more serious and widespread than reported, and that in the three most important provinces of the country the revolt against imperial officials had gained so much headway that at the instance of the authorities all foreigners had been warned to seek safety in the treaty ports, whence they could escape to China and Japan if the government was unsuccessful in its efforts to quell the disturbance.

The American minister, J. M. B. Sill, who had recently arrived at the capital, notified all American missionaries in the interior of the danger through messengers supplied by the king. He also communicated his fears for the safety of Americans to Admiral Skerrett, commanding the United States fleet at Yokohama, and suggested the desirability of having some ship near Seoul.

Since May 31, when the Korean legation had a cablegram from the king's palace at Seoul, which caused the immediate dispatch of the flagship Baltimore to that place, no official news from the home government has been received. It is feared from this that the telegraph wires have fallen into the hands of the rebels, and that the dispatches have been intercepted.

It is also stated that in case the rebels have control of the line which run directly through the revolted provinces, full reports favorable to the rebels could be sent out without any difficulty.

No credit at all is placed in the report published as coming from Shanghai to the effect that the king had fled to Japanese territory, as in such event the Korean legations at Yokohama or Tientsin would have notified their colleagues at Washington, as dispatches are frequently exchanged between these posts, which are the only foreign representatives of Korea. Any important developments in Korea would undoubtedly reach the legation here.

CAPTURED A TRAIN.

The Kelly Commonwealers Inviting Trouble and Likely to Have It.

FAIRFIELD, Ill., June 13.—The Louisville, Evansville & St. Louis, No. 87, east-bound through fast freight train, which left East St. Louis last night at 8 o'clock, was captured by a division of fifty Kelly Commonwealers here at 4:40 this morning. The train, which is laden with beer and meat, perishable freight, was sidetracked, where it has been ever since. The Kellyites declare they will ride to Mount Carmel, Ill., on this train.

The sheriff was absent, and the mayor refused the railroad any assistance. The officials of this (Wayne) county were notified that they would be held responsible for damages. Maj. Buford Wilson, the railroad's attorney at Springfield, was notified, and immediately went before Judge Allen, who ordered a United States marshal from St. Louis to put the railroad in possession of the train. The marshal is expected here at 12:40 to-night, and trouble is looked for when he attempts to eject the commonwealers.

GOV. HOGG AND HIS PARTY

Going East to Make a Business Campaign in Behalf of Texas.

DALLAS, Tex., June 14.—Gov. Hogg and party will start east-to-day from Dallas to make a business campaign in the interest of Texas. There will be two special cars and the party will be composed of Gov. Hogg, E. Rotan, president of the First national bank, Col. R. B. Parroll, of Waco; Mayor B. H. Paddock, of Fort Worth; Capt. W. H. Gaston, and John N. Simpson, of Dallas, and about twenty leading business men from various parts of Texas.

Gov. Hogg will deliver addresses in behalf of Texas in Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Boston and St. Louis. While in the east Gov. Hogg will deliver an address before the Tammany society of New York on July 4, by request of that organization.

COUNTERFEITERS ARRESTED

As the Result of Agents Set on Foot Nearly Three Years Ago.

BERLIN, June 14.—The arrest in Hamburg, recently, of three men charged with counterfeiting English and American notes was the outcome of inquiries started by the Bank of England and one of the national banks of New York city nearly three years ago. It is said that there is an organized band of counterfeiters operating in Europe, and it is probable that numerous arrests will be made in foreign towns.

British Delegates to the Ottawa Intercolonial Conference.

LONDON, June 14.—The earl of Jersey, British delegate to the intercolonial conference at Ottawa, and his associate, Mr. Mercer, called for American notes yesterday. They are instructed to listen to the proceedings and report; to speak after careful preparation and briefly, and to avoid expounding theories.

Union Stock Yards Burned.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—The Union stock yards, located at Benning, D. C., a short distance from Washington, was burned yesterday afternoon. Damage \$125,000.

THE WIMAN FORGERY TRIAL.

A Damaging Confession—The Prosecution Rest Their Case.

NEW YORK, June 13.—The trial of Ernest Wiman, charged with forgery in the second degree, was resumed this morning. The people are expected to close their case early in the day. Great anxiety was shown as to just how the defense was to be conducted. While the line of defense has not been clearly outlined, the general impression prevails that the trial will result in an acquittal. As far as can be learned in advance, Gen. Tracy will contend that Mr. Wiman was a partner in the firm of R. G. Dun & Co., and that as such he had a right to draw on the firm. It will be asserted that the use of the name of E. W. Bullinger as a drawee was nothing more than the use of a fictitious drawee, a practice sanctioned by the latest decision of the supreme court and undisputed by the court of appeals.

After the examination of a couple of witnesses, Mr. Wiman caused a sensation by offering as evidence the following letter written by Wiman to R. G. Dun, which contained the so-called confession, to which Mr. Wiman had alluded in his opening address:

Mr. Wiman's Confession.

New York, Feb. 20, 1903.

MY DEAR MR. DUN—I have had occasion to mention once to you the fact of great humiliation, but never before under such circumstances as now, in which I have a confession to make to you. It is that I have fraudulently have signed the name of E. W. Bullinger on the back of two checks of your firm made to my order. I will not say that this was done without any evil intent, or that he would have signed them himself had I asked him, or that I had no intention of defrauding you or him.

Simply and frankly, I must say that I committed this act without authority and most imprudently and can assign no excuse or palliation, except such as in your abundant charity and goodness of heart you may in mercy extend to me.

For the sake of my dear wife and children and for the sake of the long service rendered to you I pray God your heart may still be softened toward me and I may not be made to suffer the penalty of my offense.

Respectfully,

ERNEST WIMAN.

Mr. Wiman then rested for the people.

Gen. Tracy made the usual motions to strike out certain portions of the evidence. These motions were all denied. Gen. Tracy then moved to have the indictment dismissed on the ground that Wiman was a member of the firm of R. G. Dun & Co., and that he had a right to sign as he did, according to the decision of Justice Barrett in the case of Phillips vs. the Commercial bank, and that the use of the name "Bullinger" was merely that of a fictitious drawee. The argument was long and exhaustive.

Justice Ingraham denied the motion and gave his reasons at length.

Mr. Boardman then addressed the jury. He said that the whole question hinged upon Mr. Wiman's intent in obtaining for his use the money in question.

At the conclusion of Mr. Boardman's address Ernest Wiman was called to the stand, and the direct examination was begun by Gen. Tracy.

Mr. Wiman, in reply to Gen. Tracy's questions, said that when he came to New York from Toronto, Can., in 1905, to take charge of the Dun agency in this country, the business was being run at a loss, but when he was put out of it he exceeded \$500,000.

The whole trend of the witness' testimony went to show that the relations between Messrs. Dun and Wiman were very close, and that Mr. Wiman had practically made the business of R. G. Dun & Co., what it is.

At 5 o'clock an adjournment was taken until to-morrow morning.

Justice Ingraham said that he would expect the case to go the jury to-morrow night.

AN INAUSPICIOUS BEGINNING.

The Soldiers of Sultan Asis Making Him Cause Odious Among the Tribesmen.

TANIGER, June 14.—The troubles anticipated as a result of the death of Sultan Muley Hassan and the proclamation of his younger son, Abdul Asis, as his successor, are likely to be realized. The soldiers of Abdul Asis are raiding the villages in the vicinity of their camp and causing a bitter feeling against them among the tribesmen of the vicinity. The new sultan is preparing to leave Rabat for Fez. A French courier has been attacked and wounded, and the mail matter intended for the foreign residents in the interior, which he was carrying, has been stolen.

The foreign residents unanimously express the hope that the warships will promptly land a force of sailors and marines sufficient to cope with all possible emergencies.

The governor of Tangier has issued a decree inviting the Kabyles to come armed to the religious festival which is to be held this week. Since the news of the sultan's death reached the Kabyles, numerous reports of turbulence, murders and looting have been received. The body of a native was found yesterday morning on the road leading to the Cape Sparto lighthouse. The pasha sent the body to the soldiers with the request that they make an investigation. A company of troops was sent out on this errand, but was driven back here by armed mountaineers.

Though the above facts point to trouble of a serious nature it is stated that the population of the interior of Morocco generally is in favor of the succession of Abdul Asis.

The British gunboat Bramble, six guns, has arrived here.

John Bull's Monopoly of Tangier News.

MADRID, June 14.—The British cable to Tangier is reported to be the only one working, and to have been occupied the whole of Monday night with dispatches exchanged between the British minister and his government. The newspapers of this city, commenting upon this monopoly of the Tangier cable, declare that the interests of the other powers are thus likely to be jeopardized.

A BIG FIRE IN PANAMA

Two Hundred and Twenty-Five Buildings in Ruins.

A HIGH WIND SPREADING THE FLAMES.

The Streets Leading From the Burning District Choked With Crowds of Workers and Spectators—Loss, Over a Million Dollars.

PANAMA, June 13.—A fire which broke out this afternoon, has already destroyed 100 houses, and is endangering fully a quarter of all the buildings in the city. A high wind is spreading the flames.

At 6 o'clock the fire was not under control on any side. Families living near the burning quarter are panic-stricken. Scores of them are trying to move their portable goods, but the confusion and excitement are so great that they find no workingmen to help them. More than a hundred houses were destroyed in the early evening. At 7 o'clock it was reported at the police station that about 225 buildings were in ruins, and the public market was threatened. Thick showers of sparks and firebrands fell throughout the district where the fire started, and thousands of persons were at work on roofs clearing off combustible materials, and pouring water down the heated walls.

The wind blows a gale. The streets leading from the burning district are choked with crowds of workers and spectators, and with families trying to drag their household goods to places of safety. No full estimate of the loss is yet possible. A vast quantity of merchandise in shops and storage has been burned. The losses on private houses have been nearly as great. A million dollars' worth of property has been totally ruined; much more has been badly damaged. The present estimates of the loss vary between \$1,250,000 and \$1,500,000.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

REMARKS.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—The second day's debate on the wool schedule was opened in the senate by Mr. Sherman, who made an earnest argument against free wool as a thing that would result in the destruction of the wool-growing industry of the United States. He declared that the pending bill, if it were submitted to the people of Ohio, who were largely interested in wool growing, would not meet the approval of the voters. He was followed on the same side of the question by Senators Dubois, Stewart, Shoup, Hansbrough and Mitchell (all Republicans).

Mr. Mitchell demanded for the wool grower consideration equal to that given to the wool manufacturer, whose duties had been cut down between half and two-thirds. "Do with the wool grower," he said, "no worse than that."

After the delivery of these speeches, a discussion was started by Mr. George W. Norris, if a duty were placed on wool (to which he did not express any opposition) compensatory duties, additional to those reported by the finance committee, would have to be given to manufacturers. This discussion occupied an hour and a half, and was closed by Mr. Frye with a passionate appeal for American wool growers.

All the day Mr. Quay had been hovering about the chamber ready to go on with the eighth installment of his speech whenever the supply of talk from the other senators would fall. Occasionally he crossed over to the democratic side of the chamber and held a conversation with Mr. Jones and other members of the finance committee, as if he were negotiating terms on which he might be willing to wind up his speech. If that was his purpose it must have failed, for half an hour before the usual time of adjournment he resumed the discussion, and it ended another section of his apparently endless speech.

The senate at 6:10 adjourned.

NOTES.

The continued warm weather had a depressing influence upon the house to-day and although the Indian appropriation bill was taken up promptly and held the attention of the house a committee of the whole four hours, but eleven pages were disposed of. Several slight amendments were made to the text, chiefly in the way of increasing appropriations for the support and civilization of certain tribes.

The chief event of the session was a discussion of the present Indian policy of the government, especially with reference to the education of the children of the red man, in the course of which Mr. Reed made a brief speech. Mr. Reed argued that if an Indian is educated beyond the reach of the tribe to which he belongs, sent back to that tribe he meets a cruel principle, not of Indian nature, but of human nature, which is exemplified at all times, and on all occasions. That is, the demand for uniformity of thought and action. "Hence," said Mr. Reed, "the problem, so far as the education of the tribe is concerned, is the raising of the whole tribe somewhat, rather than the training of a single member of it of a good deal."

Mr. Reed's speech held the closest attention of the committee and received a round of applause at its close.

In the morning hour a senate bill was passed granting to the Barry hospital of Hot Springs, Ark., a site on the government land in that city not on the springs reservation. House bill to pension the widow of Samuel H. Starr, late colonel 5th New Jersey volunteers, and major 6th United States cavalry, house bill to disprove the treaty heretofore made to remove the southern Utes to Utah and to settle them in severalty, or to locate them on the west forty miles of the present reservation in Colorado and in portions of New Mexico, house bill to amend the act establishing circuit courts of appeal so as to permit appeals to be taken from their judgment in cases where receivers are appointed without accompanying writs of injunction, were passed.

Adjourned.

Tennessee Prohibitionists.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 14.—A state convention of the prohibition party met here yesterday to nominate candidates for governor and supreme court judge. Something over 100 delegates were in attendance, about ten of whom were ladies.

The convention decided to make no nominations, but to instruct the executive committee to place such candidates in the field or recommend such candidates as in their opinion will promote prohibition.

Representative Simpson Rapidly Recovering.

WASHINGTON, June 14.—Information from Berkeley Springs, W. Va., reports Representative Jerry Simpson, of Kansas, rapidly recovering health.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

Secretary Gresham left Washington yesterday for a brief visit to Chicago.

Prince Bismarck's journey to his summer home at Varzin has been postponed for a few weeks.

At a miners' meeting at Bridgeport, O., yesterday it was decided to vote against the settlement.

Duncan McIntyre, the well-known Canadian railway man, died in Montreal, yesterday, after a long illness.

Four men, charged with rioting, were arrested by the United States marshal at Wheeling Creek, O., yesterday.

The St. Louis ball tossers visited the national capital yesterday, and were introduced to several representatives.

The North German Gazette advocates the passage of a bill by the Reichstag to punish boycotting by fines and imprisonment.

Arrangements have been made at Pekin, Ill., whereby all the old men of the Scholl mines return to work at the old wages.

The Paris press unanimously advise the government not to allow English war ships or transports to disembark men at Tangier.

Men from Bellevue were placed under guard at the militia camp near McClanville, O., yesterday for peddling whisky to soldiers.

The employees of the Cleveland City Railway Co., which controls nearly half the lines in Cleveland, O., are on the verge of a strike.

The Minook (Ill.) miners, at a meeting Tuesday, decided to stay out until the mines rather than go to work at the reduced rates.

Baron Giovanni Micotera, ex-minister of the interior and Italy's foremost statesman, died at his home at Vice Venezia near Naples, yesterday.

The president yesterday sent to the senate the nomination of John H. Miller, of Kentucky, to be United States consul at Port Stanley, Falkland Islands.

The Wisconsin prohibition party met in Milwaukee in state convention at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. About 400 enthusiastic delegates were in attendance.

Maj. Robert Hall, of Baltimore, Md., died of old age yesterday morning. He was born in Baltimore in 1807, and was a prominent figure for years in the history of Maryland's militia.

The Japanese government has sent a naval and military force to Korea to protect the interest of Japan in that country. It is reported that the king of Korea has fled to Japan.

The khedive of Egypt has abandoned his proposed tour of Europe owing to the pressure brought to bear upon him by the suitors of Turkey. He will instead pay a visit to Constantinople.

The Uniontown (Pa.) jury in the case of Michael Fuenzi, charged with the complicity in the murder of Supt. Paddock, returned a verdict yesterday morning of murder in the second degree.

The president's health was very much better yesterday, his physician expressing confidence that the slight malady was under entire control and that there was no remaining cause for public concern.

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Holliday's mill, located one mile north of Ashton, Mich., together with 2,000 feet of lumber, 70,000 feet of logs and a lot of wood, two houses and a barn, were destroyed by fire Tuesday night. Loss, estimated, \$50,000; no insurance.

The Cork and Munster yacht club have offered a first prize of \$100, and a second prize of \$25 each day of their coming regatta at Queenstown, with a view of tempting the Vigilant, Valkyrie, Britannia, Selenite and Meteor to compete.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work.

The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

CONAN DOYLE and Stanley J. Weyman are doing a great work in proving that contemporary novelists can gain popularity outside of the rotten and riotous realm of erotic and neurotic fiction.

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

This invaluable remedy is one that ought to be in every household. It will cure your Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Frosted Feet and Ears, Sore Throat, Stomach and Chest. If you have Lame Back it will cure it. It penetrates to the seat of the disease. It will cure Stiff Joints and contracted muscles after all other remedies have failed. Those who have been crippled for years have used Ballard's Snow Liniment and thrown away their crutches and been able to walk as well as ever. It will cure you. Price 50 cents. Sold by Dawson's Drug Store, a

Be the Rev. Sir John Warren Hayes of Bearwood, Berkshire, Eng. is said to be the oldest Free Mason in England. He has been a member of the order for seventy-five years.

Cure for Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of Headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure, and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual headache Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only Fifty cents at King & Hubbard's drug store. but

Two torpedoes have been killed within a week and twice as many matadors seriously injured. The Spanish bull will gain greatly in popular respect outside of his native country if he keeps this thing up.

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Use Parke's Tea for headache, constipation, and "that tired feeling." It purifies the blood, beautifies the complexion, acts upon the sluggish liver and moves the bowels every day. Only herbs and plants, safe, sure and pleasant. Sold by W. F. Neisler.

WILLIAM LEE, Boston's veteran publisher, began business in 1837. The favorite works at that time, and he sold many of them "on the road" were the Bible and the "Pirate's Own Book."

Summarize wrong when you tire too easily. Some thing wrong when the mind is not clear and smooth. Something wrong when the blood is impure. Everything right when you take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. It recommends itself. S. H. Dewey.

DRAWING TRADE.

We do not believe that it pays to advertise something at a cut price and then when a customer calls for it to be out of it or to charge them more for it. When we advertise any certain goods you will find them on sale just as advertised.

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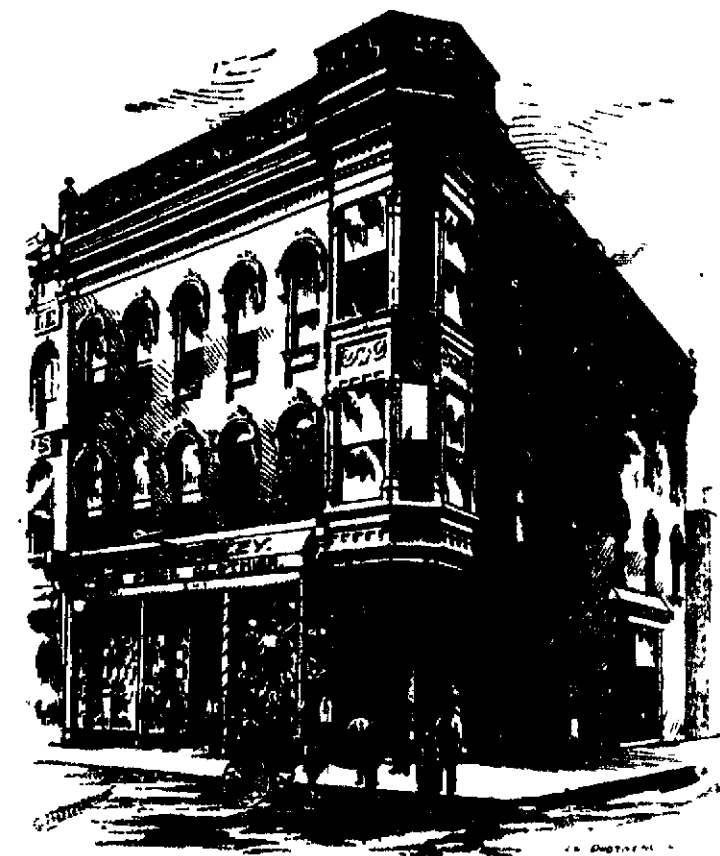
7c quality Indigo Blue Calico at 5c.
7c quality Unbleached Muslin at 5c.
25c quality wide Sheet at 18c.
12 1/2c quality Sheet at 10c.
12 1/2c quality Dress Gingham at 10c.
Dark Pongee Dress Goods, best quality, at 15c a yard.
Nun's Veiling all wool black Dress Goods, 40 inches wide, on sale at 48c a yard, real value 75c.
Table Linens, 65 and 75c goods on sale at 48c a yard.
Crash Toweling at 6, 7, 8 and 10c.
Ladies' Summer Vests at 10, 15, 20 and 25c.

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Ladies' finer Oxfords at \$1.25, 1.50 and 1.75.

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The literary venture of Elizabeth C. C. Ward was a very written work only 13 years old.

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- Ladies' Button Shoes at \$1.50, 1.75, 2.00 and 3.00.
- Men's Shoes, Congress or Lace, at \$1.50, 2.00 and 2.50.

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- Stock too large, must be reduced
- One lot of 50, 55, 60c Ingrain Carpets will be sold at 4 1/2c a yard.
- Best all wool Carpets at 65, 68 and 70c a yard
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- Mattings all reduced in prices to lower our stock.
- Lace Curtains at \$1.00, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00 and 4.00 a pair.
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PEN, PENCIL AND SLICER.

Pha Wheeler Wilcox is a theosophist. A most promising young artist of Chicago. Mrs. E. L. Allen Starr.

The first literary venture of Elizabeth Phillips Ward was a story written when she was only 13 years old.

Mrs. Amelia E. Barr, the novelist, says she is not worth dying 'until life's lesson is all finished and a grave is well earned.

It is noted that William Waldorf Astor's conduct of the Pall Mall Gazette and Magazine for the first year cost him a loss of about \$200,000.

Recently, the artist, recently made a sketch of the pool below London with the ships, the tower, the sky in it, all in 10 minutes.

Blane is credited with telling an interesting story recently that Bret Harte is, of course, an author of the time, the star in France, and that Howells is greatly liked by the French.

Albert Hamerton, whose art writing is many weeks ones struggling with intellectual life, is a big, broad Englishman whose 30 years' residence has not Gallicized him at all.

Editha, author of "Looking Back," is 44 years old. He was born in 1851, was educated at Union College, and has been translated into almost every language.

She said once said that so long as she could write she would keep it. "It is on the day I trusted my own pen," George Sand was remarkable for her having the greatest and the smallest feet and hands of any woman.

When Joseph Keppler revisited Vienna, he found a city a few years ago, an editor told him a story of 30,000 marks a year for his services—an amount deemed fabulous by the Viennese. The artist in declining the offer remarked that he was earning \$2,000 marks a year in New York.

VAILLANT'S AVENGER.

If the Paris bomb throwing should continue at the present rate, the man who manages the execution of the world will have time to rest between executions.—Philadelphia Call.

Every evil eyed vagabond who hurls a bomb or record during the next 10 years will go on record as one of Vaillant's avengers and at the expense of society.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

The fate of M. Vaillant did not at least have a deterrent influence on M. Breton. But if M. Breton should be hanged it might have a restraining influence on some one else. Anyhow it would restrain M. Breton.—New York Advertiser.

Such men as Breton are not in the least affected by the bloody example displayed on the guillotine but a short time ago. They thirst for human life and for the notoriety which is the sure consequence of a horrible crime. Reason will not reach them. Extermination is society's only remedy.—Washington Star.

It is difficult to analyze the character of a man like Vaillant, the Paris bomb thrower, or that of the man who sought to avenge his death in the Parisian cafe. Society has no means of protecting itself against them. Death has no terrors for them, and every legal execution aggravates the danger which they constantly threaten.—Omaha Bee.

M. Leon Breton, a French anarchist who threw a bomb into a cafe with intent to murder, says that it makes no difference to him whether he dies now or two months hence. It does make a difference to honest people who have no taste for murder or murderers. They would prefer that M. Breton's stay in this world be reduced to the shortest possible time.—Kansas City Star.

CURIOUS CULLINGS.

Prisoners when arrested in Morocco are required to pay the officer for his trouble in taking them to jail.

Whenever lightning strikes the Sahara desert strikes a small portion of the sand, making a ring of glass.

Among the Ain tribe, in Japan, a beard is considered necessary to be busy that the man should have time to make up his mind to addressness.

It is times the mayor of Leicester, England, was chosen by a sow. The candidate was a cucumber, each holding his hat in his lap, and he was selected for from whose hat the sow ate first.

The queer signs about New York City are on the Bowery, where a skull is used to illustrate the dentist's art, would be pretty difficult to duplicate for originality. "Best Teeth, 44—Better Teeth, from 50 to \$10."

A Vienna woman is said to be driven almost mad by the never ending sounds of music proceeding from her heart. Medical experts also declare that musical tones, in a high pitch, can be heard proceeding from the woman's heart.

FIN, FEATHER AND FUR.

Ants have a regular system of sports, including races.

Australia harbors one species of kangaroo no larger than a rat.

The stomach of a dead ostrich at the side of Clifton, England, contained a prayer book, a pencil case and two handkerchiefs.

A breed of chickens with fur in place of feathers is said to be the result of a Japanese scientist's efforts to cross the guinea with the common barnyard fowl.

A Georgia man killed a snapping turtle and ate it after throwing the head over into the back yard. A few days after the turtle's head caught a chicken and held it until the fowl squaled for help.

The shark is the fastest swimmer of the fish tribe over long distances and finds no difficulty in keeping up with the swiftest vessels swimming and playing round them, and ever on the lookout for morsels, small or large.

TREES.

On the plains of Memre there is an oak under which, legend says, Abraham rested.

Tree planting on the streets of Orlando, Fla. is encouraged by a bounty of 50 cents a tree.

The tallow tree, which produces a kind of tallow, is one of the most useful trees in China.

A theodoric acre orchard at Tescott, Kan. belonging to Judge Welthous, is believed to be the largest in the world.

The Burra Burra tree of Australia is highly prized by the natives for its seeds, which are used as food. The tree bears fruit once in three years, and the fruit is gathered in January, when the natives hold a festival.

VARIED AND INTERESTING.

New York is the third largest city in the world, London being the largest and Paris second.

Pennsylvania spent \$493,628.90 for the care and treatment of the indigent insane in her well-managed asylums during the year ending November 30, 1892.

The old Lincoln homestead in Larus county, Ky., has been bought by a syndicate of Kentuckians, who will convert it into a park and present it to the government.

The governor and executive council of Massachusetts have abolished the system of Thanksgiving day pardons for life convicts at Charleston prison. Men pardoned hereafter will leave the prison quietly and none of the other convicts will be aware of their good fortune.

ACCIDENTS to sleep-walkers can be easily prevented by laying upon the carpet by the side of the sleep-walkers' beds strips of sheet-metal—iron, zinc or copper—so wide and long that when they put their feet upon them the coldness felt will wake them thoroughly.

GUN AND SABER.

The engine of a first-class man-of-war costs nearly \$700,000.

The British ironclad Vulcan must be a monster, if its rudder be taken as a criterion. That useful adjunct weighs twenty-two tons.

CAPT. JACOB SHUMAN, who died lately at Sedalia, Mo., served in the Mexican war and the civil war. He received twelve wounds by minie balls.

Recent returns show that the whole number of horses and mules possessed by the British army is within a few of twenty-seven thousand. The cavalry regiments have rather more than twelve thousand.

A Sound Liver Makes a Well Man.

Are you Bilious, Constipated or troubled with Jaundice, Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongue, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Hot, Dry Skin, Pain in Back and between the Shoulders, Chills and Fever, &c? If you have any of these symptoms, your Liver is out of order, and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not act properly. HERBINE will cure any disorder of the Liver, Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver Medicine. Price, 75 cents. Free trial bottles at Dawson's drug store.

SIR GEORGE WILLIAMS, who founded the Young Men's Christian Association, is a retail storekeeper. He is president of fully thirty religious and philanthropic societies, and a director in as many more.

The Discovery Saved His Life.

Mr. G. Gaillolette, Druggist, Beaverville, Ill., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having sent Dr. King's new Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use, and from the first dose began to get better; and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We don't keep store or house without it." Get a free trial bottle at King & Hubbard's drug store.

ENGLAND sends us Irving and Terry, and America reciprocates with Corbett and Jackson. And yet we are prone to boast of the superiority of American productions!

What is a Guarantee?

It is this. If you have a Cough or Cold, a tickling in the Throat, which keeps you constantly coughing, or if you are afflicted with any Chest, Throat or Lung Trouble, Whooping Cough, &c., and you use Ballard's Horehound Syrup as directed, giving it a fair trial, and no benefit is experienced, we authorize our advertised agent to refund you money on return of bottle. It never fails to give satisfaction. It promptly relieves Bronchitis. Sold at Dawson's Drug Store.

ALASKA is large enough to contain Great Britain and Ireland, Germany, France, Greece and Switzerland, with some room to spare.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Bites, Blisters, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By KING & HUBBARD.

DR. J. C. FAIRFAX of Maryland, is the only English peer who is an American citizen. He has never taken his seat in the House of Lords.

RUDY'S PILE SUPPOSITORY

is guaranteed to cure Piles and Constipation, or money refunded. 50 cents per box. Send stamp for circular and free sample to MARTIN RUDY, Lancaster, Pa. For Sale by W. A. Dixon & Co., Druggists, Decatur, Ill.

HENRY IRVING recently made a speech

ridiculing pugilism. The rumors of J. J. Corbett's histrionic success seem to be confirmed.

What's the Use of Talking

About colds and coughs in the summer time? You may have a tickling cough or a little cold, or baby may have the croup, and when it comes you ought to know that Parks' Cough Syrup is the best cure for it. Sold by W. F. Neiser.

THE Florida state board of health has plans and specifications made for a disinfecting station at Fernandina, to cost \$10,000.

PURE blood means good health. Reinforce it with DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood, cures Eruptions, Eczema, Scabies and all diseases arising from impure blood. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

THE Prince of Wales is said to be the owner of one of the worst slum districts in London.

DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared for cleansing the blood from impurities and disease. It does this and more. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

SHARON BLAZ, is a restored, contemporary raising a beard.

Everything Goes.

After taking an inventory I find that I have more stock than I thought, consequently I will

Unload My Summer Goods Regardless of Cost.

Women's hand-made Tan, Chocolate and Ooze Shoes, worth \$4, \$3.50 and \$2.75,

Go at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Low colored shoes in proportion. Children's Oxfords at the price of the leather to make them. Be sure and see me before you buy summer goods. Visit the greatest shoe sale ever witnessed in Decatur. Closing out means I am positively retiring from the retail shoe business. Respectfully,

W. F. BUSHNER.

Mid-Summer Sale.

Owing to the stringency in the money market we have been able for Spot Cash to fill our house with Goods of the Latest Styles for less than Cost to Manufacture them. And we propose to sell these Goods Regardless of Value. We can sell you Goods for less than our competitors can buy them. Look elsewhere and no matter what price goods are offered you, come and compare our prices and we will sell you.

Space will not permit our quoting prices upon our immense stock. Here are a few prices that will convince you THAT WE MEAN BUSINESS.

Dining Chairs from \$2.00 per set up. Square Extension Table, \$3.50. Rockers, 75c. Center Tables, 75c. Solid Oak Sideboard, Beveled Edge Glass, \$10.50. See our \$20 Sideboard, worth \$27.50. Bed Room Suits, \$7.50 up.

Sweeping Reduction Upon Our Entire Line of Fine Goods.

ALL GOODS SOLD FOR CASH OR EASY PAYMENTS.

BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO.,

240, 244, 248 East Main Street. - Upholstering to Order.



Race Clothing



Panic Price To Save Panic

REDUCTIONS IN EVERY DEPT.
Men's \$15.00 Suits in Sack
to \$10.00. Guaranteed to be

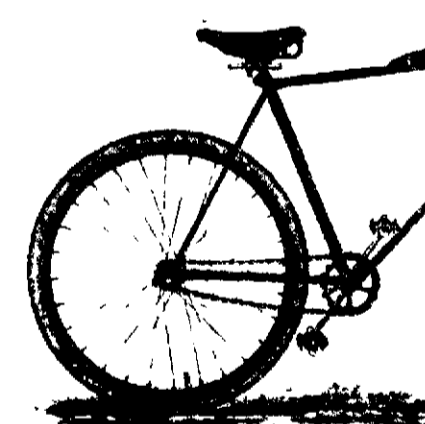
Our fine grade of Straw
we still have plenty left. W
50c straw hat you ever saw.

We are Headquarters for
Hats, Belts and Suits.

We make to order the b
Pants—WORLD BEATERS.

Race Clothing

120--135 North V



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SET THE PACE AND W
WHY? Because they are built right
THE ONLY BICYCLES BUILT WITH A N
All who desire to ride fast and with econ
Complete line at

A Big Cut

A cut in Furniture isn't an
altogether pleasant occur-
rence for the housewife, as it
means mischief, but with us it
means a reduction of price.

The prices we are making
on the large line of
Furniture, Carpets and
Stoves

In the city are remarkably low
Prove it to you.

Cash or Easy P.

G. W. S.

211, 213 and 215 Sou
Complete House Furnis

"VICTORS"



Durability, Style and Finish
SEE 'EM.
LYTLE & ECKELS
HARDWARE CO.

See GEO. W. LYON,
539 West Green Street.

He is the Proprietor of the

Northwestern Feed Mill,

And will Supply You with
Ear and Shelled Corn
and the
Best Chopped Feed
In Decatur.

Orders for feed filled and deliv
ered promptly in quantity to suit, at
such low prices that you will be aston
ished. Remember the place, 538 West
Green street. may 17 dlat

SKELETON COATS, DUCK TROUSERS,

MADE TO ORDER BY
Rude,
The Tailor.

Room 6, Syndicate Block.



S. H. SWAIN,
Veterinary Surgeon,
127 South Franklin St., Decatur, Ill.
Residence, 235 West Decatur St.
TELEPHONE: Office, 343, Residence, 474

Is The Best BREAD

It is the staff of life; if the staff is sound, life
is long and happy.



"Pillsbury's Best" makes better Bread
than any other Flour in the World.

BRUCE CLARK & SONS, Dist. Agt.
CHICAGO, ILL.

REID'S
German
COUGH
AND
KIDNEY CURE.
Contains no Poison.
REID'S German Pills cure
Croup, Whooping Cough and Measles.
They purify the

THREE DIVORCES GRANTED

Trial by Jury for Selling Tobacco
to Boys.

Judge Vail is still working away on
the criminal docket in the circuit court.
CHANCERY DOCKET.
Anna M. French vs. George T. French, divorce.
Evidence heard by court and decree granted.
Elizabeth Schweitzer vs. John Schweitzer et al;
divorce and injunction. Bill dismissed and in
junction dissolved.

W. A. Triax et al vs. The Scott Mfg. Co et al;
chancery. Decree to bill sustained and leave
to amend.
Equitable Building and Loan Society of Peoria
vs. T. C. May and A. T. Summers, foreclosure.
Decree pro confesso and referred to master.
A. T. Riley vs. Mary Collins, chancery. De-
murrer to bill sustained, and leave to amend.
Lily M. Spreckelmeyer vs. F. C. Spreckelmeyer,
divorce. Evidence heard by court and decree
granted.

Mary V. Robison vs. Samuel Robison, di-
vorce. Evidence heard by court and decree
granted.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.
Thomas Gregory vs. Henry Knowles, assump-
sit. Leave to plead instant.

George H. Scott vs. Henry J. Knowles and
Laura Knowles, assumpsit. Judgment for
\$105.72. Immediate execution awarded.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.
Among the cases on the people's docket car-
ried from the circuit court to the county court
yesterday were the following:
Willis Johnson, Jr., and A. B. Barreau, two
cases, gaming house.
Henry Colter, gaming house, two cases.
L. R. Cain and John and George Warren, gam-
ing house.

Willis Johnson, Jr., and A. B. Barreau, selling
liquor without license.
Mel Fritz, O. W. Kincaid, Harry Halliway,
Joseph Seaman, Jr., Dave Levy, Virg Sanders,
George Fisher, John Russell, Wm. Ernest, John
Carter, Elmer Glassbrook, Ed Moore, J. R.
Fowers, George Webb, Tom Rhodes, James
Foster, Ernest Rhoadmaker, James Myers, Wm.
Sawyer, James Jones, James Reavis, Jr., W. P.
and James Hoyland, all for gaming.

Peter Haley, assault with intent to kill, con-
tinued with alias.
W. H. Albert, procuring liquor for minor.
Certified to county court.
James M. Wolfington and Henry C. Stewart,
selling liquor to minors. Verdict of jury not
guilty.

People vs. Charles C. Matheny, selling liquo
to minor. Nolle entered.
People vs. John R. Dougherty, selling liquo
to minor. Trial by jury pending.

Will Resume.
It is now pretty well settled that the
coal miners' strike is in a fair way to be
settled in the very near future. Accord-
ing to the scale arranged at Columbus,
the men have gained nothing, in fact, in
some fields the men will resume at less
rates than they were receiving before
the strike. This fact has raised a strong
feeling among the men in the Ohio fields
and they declare they will not be bound
by the agreement, but will continue the
fight on their own hook. Of course this
will mean defeat in the end, and the
final outcome will be bad. The only rift
of light in the situation seems to lie in
the great cut sale of clothing, furnishing
goods, etc., which Chas. E. Morgan is
conducting at 118 Merchant street.
Goods, the best known to the trade are
going at half price or less.

Are You Hungry?
Then drop over to the Tabernacle be-
tween 5 and 7 o'clock this evening and
get a good square meal for 25 cents. All
the delicacies will be served and plenty
of the substantial. Ice cream till 10 p.
m. Everybody come.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 14, 1906.

The RELIABLES is indebted to R. Z. Taylor,
dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with cor-
respondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis
and St. Louis, for the following market quotations.

WHEAT CLOSE
June wheat, 38, July, 39, Sept., 40, 1/2
Dec., 41.

CORN CLOSE
June 41, July, 41, Sept., 41, 1/2
Dec., 42.

BARLEY CLOSE
June, 42, July, 20, Sept., 30, 1/2
PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork—July, \$12 4, Sept., \$12 40
Lard—June, \$8 65; July, \$8 75; Sept., \$8 80
Ribs—June, \$10, July, \$10 75; Sept., \$10 1/2

Hog receipts 27,000; 100 below the est.
mate; Market 5 cents lower. Light \$10 40
\$10 45; Mixed \$10 25; Heavy \$10 50; \$10 50
Rough \$10 25; Estimate for tomorrow 27
000

Cattle receipts 14,000, market steady
TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CATTLE
Wheat all grades, 30. Estimated, 37.
Corn all grades, 25. Estimated, 30.
Oats all grades, 15. Estimated, 16.

LONDON, 1 p. m.—Cargoes of wheat, wheat
quicker, maize nothing offering. On passage and
for shipment wheat rather easier, maize quieter.
LIVERPOOL, 2.30 p. m.—Wheat easy, demand
poor, holders offering moderating; corn quiet,
demand moderate.

LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m.—Wheat spot at opening
feeling appears weaker; maize not much de-
mand.

BOARD OF TRADE CABLE—LIVERPOOL
Spot wheat unchanged, futures moderately
lower. Spot and future corn led lower.

Minneapolis and Duluth get 200 cars of wheat
to-day against 100 some day last year.

ESTIMATED PORTS TO-MORROW
Wheat, 41; Corn, 42; Oats, 32.
The total clearances of wheat were 32,000
bushels. Flour 20,000 bags, four.

The total clearances of corn were 10,000
bushels.

Awarded
Highest Honors—World's Fair

PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE
A Pure Cream of Tartar Powder
Does Not Turn Sour
Keeps in Perfect Condition
No Lead or Other Impurities
No Free Alkali

COUNTY LODGE MEETING.

Five Lodges of Good Templars at
the Convention.

The Mason County Lodge of Good
Templars was called to order at 10:20
this morning by County Templar Pliny
J. Smith, with delegates in attendance
from Warrensburg, Forsyth, Excelsior,
Faithful and Decatur Lodges. The
officers present were Rosie Ruckle, sec-
retary; Emma Jones, assistant secretary;
Chaplain, Broderick appointed pro tem;
County V. T., Mrs. A. F. Mills, Faithful
Lodge; P. C. T., Chas. Culp, Warrens-
burg; Secretary, W. H. Schroll, Forsyth;
Guard, Mrs. J. H. Reiney, Decatur; Sen-
tinel, H. P. Thrift.

Committees were appointed as fol-
lows:
Programme—Chas. Culp, Mrs. Geo.
Wickens and Mrs. Theo. Coleman.
Credentials—W. H. Schroll, J. P. Jones
and Bertha Spencer.

State of Order—Mrs. H. C. Mowry,
Herman Cooper and Mrs. J. H. Reiney.
Short speeches were made regarding
the work in this county by Chas. Culp,
of Warrensburg, Ed. Six of Faithful, D.
L. Bunn, Mrs. B. F. Mills, R. Nellie
Smith, Miss Lilly White of Excelsior,
Miss Lizzie Stoll of Forsyth, and others.
A recess was then taken until 1:30
p. m.

CALLED AWAY.

A Young Wife and Mother, Mrs.
Will Ditzler.

The many friends and acquaintances
of the deceased will be shocked to learn
that Mrs. Elsie Ditzler, the young wife
of Will Ditzler, died to-day at 11:45
o'clock at the family home, 606 South
Broadway, leaving an infant son a day
old. The deceased was 22 years of age
and had passed through the ordeal
safely. Two hours later she was taken
with spasms from which she did not re-
cover. She was a daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Reuben Rambo. The bereaved
young husband and the parents will
have the sympathy of all their friends
in this time of sudden and great sorrow.
The funeral will take place from the
residence Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock,
Rev. Geo. F. Hall officiating.

Funeral of John Irwin.

The funeral of the late John Irwin
will take place from the Congregational
church Friday evening, June 15th, at 5
o'clock. The casket will not be opened
at the church.

DECATUR LODGE NO. 65, I. O. O. F.
All members of Decatur Lodge No. 65
are requested to meet at their hall, cor-
ner Main and William streets, to-morrow
(Friday) afternoon, at 4 o'clock, for the
purpose of attending the funeral of our
late brother, P. G. John Irwin. Cele-
stial Lodge 196 and all visiting brethren
cordially invited to meet with us.

L. L. UNDERWOOD, N. G.
I. N. MARTIN, JR., Sec.

CANTON DECATUR NO. 10.
You are hereby ordered to report at
your armory, in full dress uniform, to-
morrow (Friday) afternoon, at 4 o'clock
sharp, to attend the funeral of our late
Chevalier, Col. John Irwin. Services at
First Congregational church. The cas-
ket will not be opened at the church.

FRANK P. RODDY, Capt.
GEO. P. BELL, Clerk.

Named Moweaqua in 1852.

In the Moweaqua Call Mail of to day
appears this reference to a sister of Mr.
W. T. Wells, who has been in Decatur
on a visit:

Friday evening last, for a brief period,
Mrs. Mattie McCoy, of California, was
the guest of Esq. Prescott. Forty-two
years ago this lady, then Miss Mattie
Wells, gave to our little city the name of
Moweaqua—a name of Indian deriva-
tion, taken from the neighboring creek,
now known as Flat Branch, but then
found upon the old geography as Mow-
eagua creek—Flat Branch being the
English of Moweaqua. The village of
Moweaqua was laid out in 1852 by C. C.
C. Wells (a brother of Miss Mattie), M.
Snyder, sr., Asa Eastman and H. B.
Plant, and in honor of the lady who be-
stowed upon the plat the romantic name
it yet bears, these gentlemen pre-
sented Miss Wells with two lots, the
ones upon which the handsome resi-
dence of J. Wheeler is now standing.
Forty-two long years have passed since
Mrs. McCoy has seen this town, and
since her father's death upon her memo-
ries of the past. She is a sister of Wm.
T. Wells, now of Decatur, of Morehouse,
Wells & Co. and at the time of which we
write lived with her brother in a log
cabin, and Esquire Prescott coming in
1853 boarded with them. The acquire
struck the town with just \$1.75 in cash,
having walked over here through the
wild and Springfield in a single day.
Mrs. McCoy returned to Decatur, of-
fended with the evidence of progress
everywhere manifested in the little city
upon which nearly half a century ago
she bestowed a name.

Passed Through.

Hon. Harry Watterson, the noted
editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal,
was a guest at the St. Nicholas last
night, departing this morning for Lin-
coln, Illinois, where he will deliver an
address at the C. P. University. Mr.
Watterson came in last evening on the
Van from Greenacastle, Ind. Editor
Watterson was greeted by several citi-
zens at the hotel during the evening,
and he seemed highly with everybody on
various topics. Watterson doesn't har-
bor an unbiased opinion of the Democratic
party, and in his paper he handles the
party, with a discrimination, and a vigor
without equal.

Daily Republican

No improvement
that you can make
(for the money) will add so
much to the appearance of
your home as painting it.
King & Hubbard, the drug-
gists, have the best mixed
paints in all colors; also ev-
erything in the paint and var-
nish line.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 1906.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

O. E. S.—Regular meeting of Decatur Chapter,
No. 111, Order Eastern Star, this, Thursday
evening, at 8 o'clock, in Masonic Temple. All
visiting members cordially invited to meet with
us. Banquet at the meeting. Mrs. E. STURM,
W. M. Mrs. SALLIE A. ORCHARD, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting of Decatur En-
campment, No. 37, this (Thursday) evening,
at 8 o'clock, for work in Golden Rule degree. All
candidates for the degree are requested to
be present. A full attendance of patriarchy is
most earnestly requested. Visiting Patriarchs
cordially welcomed. Wm. E. FRANK, C. P. C.
N. LYTLE, Sec'ty.

LOCAL NEWS.

Try Irwin's cherry phosphate.

Gent's negligee belts in all the "cor-
rect" leathers at Otto E. Curtis & Bro's.

The Grand Opera House cigars, made
by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town.
mar25-dtf

EVERYBODY likes the new drink, Kola
Vena, at Irwin's fountain.

UPHOLSTERING of all kinds done to
order. BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO.
mar20-dtf

SPECIAL sale for the next 10 days at
Mrs. R. G. Young's millinery store, at
Anthony & Webb's. Will save you
money. 13d5

TO CURE all Nervous diseases, "Dr.
Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer, pronounced
the greatest medical discovery of the
age." Sold by C. H. Dawson.

The first and second nines of the Cal-
umet Club will play ball at 4:30 this
afternoon. At 6:30 p. m. the Calumet
boys will play the Wabash club.

A CAMPING party is being arranged by
Misses Louie Boyd, Clara Eyman, Lu-
etta Ulrich and Jennie Chambers.
They expect to go the last of this week.

The exercises at the Grand will begin
to-morrow morning at 9:30 o'clock. The
hall will be made as cool as possible, but
you had better take a fan with you.

The strike is over, but D. Garrett at
749 North Water street, is still out for
the best groceries, vegetables and provi-
sions for less money than you can buy
elsewhere. 14-d1

A PARTY of young people, as guests of
Miss Voorhies, will make a tour of the
electric railway system this evening. An
open car has been chartered for the
party.

Oh, Yes; to be sure, Maria. Don't
forget to call at D. Garrett's, 749 North
Water street, for he has the best gro-
ceries in town and his prices beat the
Dutch. 14-d1

DEAL at the C. B. Prescott music house
and you will get full value for your
money. Those e e g Haines, Sterling
and Everett pianos are the best pianos
to be had.

D. GARRETT, 749 North Water street,
is right in the swim. He has the best of
everything in the grocery line and his
competitors cannot touch him with a
ten-foot pole. 14-d1

N. T. WATSON, who has purchased S'
B. Moll's interest in the tailoring and
gent's furnishing store, has leased the
Ennis room on North Water street, and
will soon move to that location.

THE lady who called at D. Garrett's
grocery store, 749 North Water street,
and was so delighted over her purchases,
will call again. She will hear something
greatly to her advantage. 14-d1

Ah! YES; I need some insurance, and
have some surplus cash to invest in De-
catur real estate. I'll just go over and
see Gay & McKiff, 337 North Water
street. They're the hustlers, and can fit
me out. 29-d5t

DECATUR now has a German paper,
neatly printed and ably edited by J. E.
Schulze; local editor John C. Rapp. It
is a five-column quarto, and is called the
"Decatur Deutscher Freund." It is a
monthly publication started in April.

REPAIR the tailor's prices for cleaning and
pressing; Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.50,
pants cleaned and pressed 50c, water
scoured and pressed \$2.50, pants scoured
and pressed 75c; repairing of all kinds
work called for and delivered. Tele-
phone 262. Room 6, Syndicate block.
May14-dtf

At the memorial service of the Old
Fellows and Daughters of Hebeah to be
held Sunday at the hall of Celestial
Lodge, Rev. W. W. Weeden, of Taylor-
ville, will speak in memory of deceased
Odd Fellows. Attorney C. C. Leforgee
will speak in behalf of the Rebekahs.

REARSON & Co., who for a long time
have been engaged in the second hand
business have moved to North Water
street, and have worked up a fine trade
in a short space of time. The firm is
composed of live, active gentlemen, who
thoroughly understand the business and
cannot fail to secure a great success.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Will find our line of

HIGH SCHOOL SOUVENIR CHINA

Very Attractive This Year.

We sent a photograph of the High
School building *abroad* and had this
China made up in

Sugars and Creamers,
Pin Trays,
Bon Bon Dishes,
Bread and Butter Plates,
Tea Cups and Saucers,
Milk Tumblers, Etc., Etc.

We should like all interested in the
class this year to see these goods.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

Who Sells Cheapest?

The merchant who can take the
largest quantities and pay the cash is
the commander.

The season has been peculiarly favorable to the cash
buyer in consequence of the large amount of goods
returned to factories and the large amount of orders
countermanded at the last minute. This was our
opportunity and we took advantage of it by buying a
big line of Ladies' Dongola Oxfords, all solid, in opera
and square toes, made to sell at \$1.25 to \$1.50 per
pair. We propose to give you one pair or 500 at

79c PER PAIR.

We have another lot of Ladies' Oxfords, all nice,
clean, fresh goods, at

49c PER PAIR.

Wise Folks

Will buy largely now, so do not delay this great
bargain sale.

FRANK H. COLE SHOE CO.

B. F. BOBO, Manager.

148 East Main Street, Decatur, Illinois.